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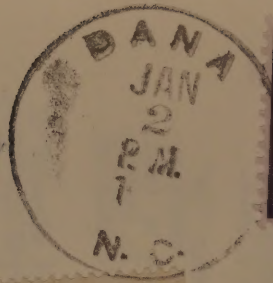
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ARMERIA GIANT PINK AND ROSE SELECTIONS-A
color strain of the last. 2½" pots, same rate.

ASTER TATARICUS- 55". Free-bloomer of late autumn. Near to sky blue. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

BOLTONIA LATISQUAMA- 50". Blush pink daisies in enormous, airy profusion. It cuts. Divisions, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

CAMPANULA GARGANICA- 6". Exquisite, blue-flowered dwarf. Long in bloom. Rock garden; edgings. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.30; 25 for \$5.40.

CAMPANULA POSCHARSKYANA- 6". Graceful semi-trailer, spread with a constellation of blue star-bells. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.30; 25 for \$5.40.

CARNATION CHABAUD GIANT MIXED- 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.85; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00. (Duration seldom beyond one year of flowering).

CEPHALARIA RADIATA- 50". Like a creamy yellow, long-stemmed, winter-hardy Scabiosa. 1/8 oz. 40¢.

CERATOSTIGMA PLUMBAGINOIDES- Plumbago Larpentae. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.00.

CHIVES- For flavoring, or as edging plants, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.80; 100 for \$14.

CLEMATIS RECTA- 27". Erect perennial. Pure white. 2½" pots. 5 for \$1.25; 10 for \$2.35.

CLEMATIS MONTANA- June-blooming climber in white or blush. 5 for \$1.50; (2½" pots).

DIANTHUS ARENARIUS- 6". Fringed, creamy, fragrant flowers. Dense, low foliage. Rock garden, edging, ground cover. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.10.

DIANTHUS CAESIUS- 7". Compact, mounded plants. Attractive, fragrant flowers in pink and in rose. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

DIANTHUS DELTOIDES WHITE- 6". Vivid green mats. Pretty white flowers. 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

DIANTHUS KNAPPI- 12". True lemon yellow. Unique. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.30; 25 for \$5.50.

DIANTHUS NEGLECTUS- 3". A gem. Cherry, buff in reverse. 10 for \$2.60 (2½" pots).

DIERAMA- 60". The graceful, and rare, Wand-bell. Flowers in white, pink and amaranth, sway from arching stems. Hardy with protection, at Philadelphia. 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.35; 10 for \$2.50.

DRABA REPENS- 3". Soft green mats, myriads of little yellow flowers on hair-stems above, Early spring. Rock garden, or edger. 2½" pots., 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.40.

DICTAMNUS FRAXINELLA ALBA- 30". Most beautiful of white-flowered, hardy perennials. Said to live 300 years. It cuts. Lemon-scented. Plants, one year to bloom, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.80; 25 for \$6.30; 100 for \$24.00.

FILIPENDULA HEXAPETALA FL. PL.- 12". Seafoam Flower. Intensely double, creamy white flowers over attractive, fern-like, basal foliage. Full sun. Hardy and long-lived. Everyone who sees it, likes it. Plants, potted, 5 for \$1.30; 10 for \$2.45; 25 for \$5.75; 100 for \$22.00.

FILIPENDULA RUBRA VENUSTA- 60". Handsome, free-blooming summer perennial of full, enduring hardness. Great, airy flower sprays in rich, true pink. Field divisions, 5 for \$1.30; 10 for \$2.45; 25 for \$5.75; 100 for \$22.00.

EPIMEDIUM PINNATUM ELEGANS- 9". Rare and charming rock garden perennial, decorative in foliage and with dainty, yellow flowers. Shade or sun. 2½" pots, 5 for \$2.75.

GENTIANA DAHURICA-15". Deep blue flowers. Long-lived; hardy; easy. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.30.

GENTIANA KESSELRINGI- 8". Clusters of blossoms, near-white, with purple lines and dots, end each stem. Rock garden. 10 for \$2.25.

GERANIUM BLUE BLEND- Attractive, winter-hardy perennials for sun or shade. Do not confuse with the florists' bedding Geraniums (which are, correctly, Pelargoniums). 16". Wide flowers, lavender to blue-violet. Good foliage. Potted, 10 for \$2.35; 25 for \$5.50.

GERANIUM SANGUINEUM- 18". An enduringly hardy, true Geranium with blood-red blossoms through late spring and summer. Shade-tolerant. Nice foliage. 10 for \$2.40; 25 for \$5.25.

GERBERA LARGE-FLOWERED HYBRIDS- Big "daisy" flowers in wide range of brilliant colorings. Almost ever-blooming. With adequate mulching, Gerbera winters outside at Philadelphia and Yonkers. 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

HELENIUM AUTUMNALE MIXED-35". Flowers in a long, prodigal profusion, primrose, lemon, yellow and golden orange, or with bronzed or coppery red shadings. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

HELIANTHEMUM FIREBALL- 8". Double Sun-rose. Fully double, ball-like blossoms of rich red for months. Rock garden or terrace. 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.20.

HELIOPSIS SCABRA- 45". Long summer display of golden orange blossoms, single to double, like miniature sunflowers. Field divisions, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.30.

HEMEROCALLIS ROSE-BRIGHT- Silvery rose. Long in bloom. Good. Field divisions, 5 for \$1.60; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$7.00.

HEMEROCALLIS PURPLE SAGE- Smoky wine-purple, petals fluted. 5 for \$1.60; 10 for \$3.00.

HEUCHERA SANGUINEA- 25". Coral Bells, Coral rose, through red, to crimson. "airy. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10; 100 for \$19.00.

HOLLYHOCK CHATERS DOUBLE MIXED- 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.30.

HOSTA LANCIFOLIA- 26". Funkia. Ornamental in the clumps of close-packed foliage. Slender racemes of lavender trumpet-flowers in late summer. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

HYPERICUM FRAGILE-5". Silvery foliage mats, set with flowers of pale gold. Rock gardens, edgings. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.35.

HYPERICUM POLYPHYLLUM-6". Over fine-leaved mats, bronzed buds open to golden flowers. Rocks, etc. 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.50.

IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS-10". Hardy, perennial Candy-tuft. Evergreen foliage; snowy blossoms. 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.30; 100 for \$16.00.

IRIS DELAVAYI- 26". Vigorous Chinese species with ruddy violet flowers, often stippled. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

IRIS FORRESTI- 24". It might be considered a yellow-flowered Iris sibirica. A good one. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10.

IRIS PSEUDACORUS- 32". Wide, flattened flowers, deep yellow or ivory white. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50.

HYBRID DELTA IRIS D.K. WILLIAMSON- 25". A late, long bloomer, with big flowers of unusual form in velvety purple-violet. Particularly effective in the mixed, hardy border. 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10. (Field divisions).

IRIS TECTORUM- 18". The pretty Japanese Roof Iris. Blue blossoms, crested and undulate. Field divisions, 5 for \$1.35; 10 for \$2.50.

LILY OF THE VALLEY- Good pips, 10 for \$1.10; 25 for \$2.50; 100 for \$9.00.

LOBELIA FULGENS- 38". Mahogany red foliage and deep red blossoms. Larger in spike and flower than L. cardinalis. Needs winter protection. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

LYSIMACHIA CLETHROIDES- 36". The graceful Swan Flower. Pretty white flowers in arching spikes. It cuts. From pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10.

LYSIMACHIA NUMMULARIA- 4". Close mats of overlapping foliage, set with golden flowers. Excellent ground cover, or wall plant. Shade-tolerant. Divisions, 10 for \$1.85; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.

MAZUS REPTANS-3". Hardy, Himalayan perennial for rock gardens, terraces, edgings. Mats of tiny, overlapping leaves are set with big, blue "Mimulus" flowers that seem to rest right on the foliage mat. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10; 100 for \$19.00.

NIEREMBERGIA RIVULARIS- 4". Pretty mat-former. A pavement of snowy blossoming through late spring, with scattering flowers all summer. Rock gardens etc. 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10; 100 for \$19.00.

OPHIOPOGON JABURAN CAERULEUS- 18". Shining fountains of ribbony leaves; spikes of rich blue violet flowers, then glossy blue berries. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10.

OPHIOPOGON JAPONICUS VARIEGATUS- 12". Decorative foliage, boldly yellow-striped. Lilac flowers. Both Ophiopogons are shade-tolerant. From pots, 5 for \$1.20; 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.40.

HARDY PERENNIAL PENSTEMONS- Long-bloomers with brilliant flowers. PENSTEMON GARNET- 30". Months of glowing red blossoming, white marked. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10. P. BARBATUS COCCINEUS-42". Panicked hosts of little bugle-flowers, rose to scarlet. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80. P. MURRAYANUS- 60". Scarlet flowers over a long season. Blue-glaucous foliage. 2½" pots. 5 for \$1.50; 10 for \$2.35.

DWARF PHLOX- All bloom freely in spring; the first two also give scattering flowers all summer and fall. PHLOX NIVALIS AVALON WHITE- 4". Pure white flowers, June to November. Quite new and still rare. 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.20; 10 for \$2.25. PHLOX NIVALIS CAMILA-6". All-season bloom in pure pink. Good. 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80. PHLOX FRONDOSA VIVID-5". Exceedingly profuse spring bloomers in rich pink. Densely tufted habit. Excellent edger. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$17.00.

PHYGELIUS CAPENSIS- 24". Glossy panicles of coral rose. Evergreen foliage. Rare. Winter-hardy at Philadelphia. Potted, 5 for \$2.50.

PLATYCODON JAPANESE DOUBLE- 40". Sheafs of big, double blossoms in varied-blues, or in white. Long in bloom. Sun or shade. 2½" pots 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50.

POLYGONUM REYNOUTRIA- 22". Good ground cover for poor soils, and dry, sunny places. Resists erosion. Ornamental in foliage, flower and seed. Stolon divisions that will quickly make good plants, 10 for \$2.40; 25 for \$5.50; 100, \$20.

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T H E A Z A L E A S

ROOTED AZALEA CUTTINGS- Marked R.C. Unless otherwise priced, the UNIFORM RATE is 10 for 75¢; 25, one kind, for \$1.70; 50, one kind, \$3.15; 100 of one kind, \$6.00; 250, all one kind, \$14.00; 500, all alike, for \$27.00; 1000, same basis, \$53.00. On orders assorted as to variety, but at least 50 of a kind, rate is 500 for \$28.00; or 1000 for \$56.00.

CARE OF AZALEA CUTTINGS- Shipments within the continental U.S. arrive with roots moist, and in good, growable shape. Last season we did not receive any customer complaints at all, of unsatisfactory stock. Before pulling the cuttings apart, to pot or line, let the sand dry out a little. Then the roots will shake free without injury.

OUR POTTED LINERS are grown in 2½" pots. we believe this size gives a better root system than does the more usual 2¼" pot.

CORAL BELLS- Shell pink, coral at center. Hose-in hose. Much in demand. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

MARYANN- This beauty follows Coral Bells in season. Large, semi-double flowers in rich, true pink. One of Gable's hardier hybrids. We like it. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

SNOW-Beautiful, white-flowered Kurume. A favorite. Hose-in-hose. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.

HINODEGIRI- Vivid scarlet in far-showy densities Early mid-season. Undoubtedly the largest seller in evergreen Azaleas. Dependable. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

MRS. L.C.FISHER- The plants are wide spreads of clear salmon pink. Hose-in-hose. Late mid-season. A fine Bobbink & Atkins introduction. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00. This is a good one.

SHERWOOD ORCHID- Excellent, large-flowered, profuse orchid lavender. Easy, and showy. Early mid-season. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

MACRANTHA-Compact densities of large, massed, salmon-rose flowers. Latest and longest blooming of evergreen Azaleas, with one exception. Buds never harmed by late spring freezes. Good garden center item, since potted plants of it in full bloom can be sold long after other Azaleas are gone, R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

ADDY WERY-One of the " four best reds". Deep, glowing red. A ruggedly robust beauty. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90; 100 for \$7.30. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.85.

AMOENA COCCINEA- Fire red flowers, rich dark foliage. Particularly good landscape plant. One of the hardier. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 75¢; 25 for \$1.70. Liners, 2½" plants, 10 for \$1.70.

AVALON ORCHID-Large, double flowers of exquisite orchid. Well-shaped plant. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.90.

BETTY- Bright pink, with hint of orange. Desirable Kaempferi Hybrid. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.

BRIDESMAID-Large clusters of glowing, salmon-pink flowers. One of the original Domoto Kurume importations. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 95¢; 25 for \$2.10.

CARMEN-Large, handsome flowers of bright rose. Upright, branching grower of Kaempferi Hybrids section. R.C. as above.

CHARLOTTE-Big flowers in violet-flushed lavender. Mid-season. Makes large, wide plants, excellent for landscape use. Gable Hybrid. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½", 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.

CATTLEYA- Semi-double white, lilac at the edges. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 95¢.

CORAL BELLS- See above.

EARLY DAWN- Sunrise pink, red-shaded at center. Rather early bloomer. Erect, branching plants. An Arnold Hybrid. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00.

GUMPO HYBRIDS- Wide, low plants. Large flowers in varied colorings. Late bloom season. This is group of increasing importance. Liners, 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.25; 10 for \$2.25.

HERBERT- Wide plants with frilled flowers of deep orchid-purple. A Gable Hybrid. R.C. 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90. Liners, 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.85.

HEXE- Frilled ruby red. Semi-double. Compact grower. Late mid-season, but may give some additional bloom at any time. Hardy, but also forces well, blooming freely under glass in winter. A red of unusual merit. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90; 100 for \$7.50.

HINO CRIMSON- Flowers of a true, unfading, crimson. Compact grower. Particularly hardy. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90; 100 for \$7.50.

HINOMAYO A very good soft pink. Early mid-season. Full garden hardiness. Also a good winter-bloomer in pots. Liners, 2½", 5 for \$1; 10 for \$1.90.

LEDIFOLIA ALBA- Unusually large, handsome flowers in pure white. Sweet, delicate fragrance. One of the hardier Azaleas. Does not hold the blossoms when faded. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

LEDIFOLIA AMETHYST-SHADED- Same big, white blossoms, but toward the center there is a flush or suffusion between pink and amethyst. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

LOUISE GABLE- Large, near-double blossoms in satiny pink. Dense grower; late bloomer. Among the top three of the Gable Hybrids. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90.

MACRANTHA DOUBLE-FLOWERED- Big, double blossoms in same attractive salmon-rose as Single Macrantha, but the Double-flowered blooms later than the single and grows taller. It is more than just a double-flowered strain of the regular Macrantha. Liners, 2½", 10 for \$1.85; 25 for \$4.40.

MAXWELL- Handsome large flowers of rose-toned red. Late mid-season. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90.

MRS. L.C. FISCHER- See above.

OLD ORCHARD ORCHID- Large flowers of lilac-toned orchid. Strong, branching grower. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.80.

OTHELLO- Splendid red, as vivid as Hinodegiri, but with just a hint of orange to it. A sturdy, vigorous Kaempferi Hybrid. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00.

PALESTRINA- A medium tall, vigorous, large-flowered white with faint chartreuse blotch. Particularly cold-resistant. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90.

PINK PEARL- Charming Kurume in soft, pure pink. Hose-in-hose. A free-bloomer. R.C. as above. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70.

PURPLE SPLENDOR- Rich, deep purple. Large, frilled flower. R.C. as above.

ROSEBUD- No more beautiful Azalea. Rich pink, double flowers. Buds are like rose-buds. Low, dense grower. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90; 100 \$7.35. Liners, 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.90. Joseph Gable has originated many fine Azaleas; none better than this.

ROSE GREELEY- Excellent, fragrant white, faint chartreuse blotch. Early. Hose-in-hose. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90.

SALMON BEAUTY- Attractive Kurume with frilled, hose-in-hose blossoms of rich salmon pink. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90.

SHERWOOD ORCHID- See above.

SNOW- See above.

SUN STAR- Bright orange red with darker blotch. Good, quite early, Kurume. Liners, 2½", 10 for \$1.70.

SUSAN- A pretty, pink-flowered Azalea. One of the Gable seedlings. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 75¢; 25 for \$1.70.

YODAGAWA- Intense double in cyclamen purple. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 85¢; 25 for \$1.90. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70.

VESUVIUS- Blossoms of orange flame coloring. A striking Kurume. Rooted cuttings, 10 for 75¢; 25 for \$1.70. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.70.

W O O D Y S H R U B S (liners)

Available as branched liners 2½" vita-pots or 2½" peat rose pots. Rooted cuttings also, where priced.

ABELIA EDWARD GOUCHER- Medium low, compactly graceful, everblooming shrub. Flowers really pink. R.C., 25 for \$1.80. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$16.00

AUCUBA JAPONICA VARIEGATA- Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$3.25.

BURFORD HOLLY- *Ilex cornuta Burfordi*. Handsome shrubby Holly with shining, evergreen foliage and bright red berries. Self-fertile. R.C., 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.00. Liners, strong, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$16.00.

JAPANESE BOXWOOD HOLLY- *Ilex crenata Helleri*. Low; densely compact. Little, evergreen leaves. R.C. , 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$1.90; 100 for \$7.20. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.40; 100 for \$16.00

HARDY BROOM HYBRIDS- *Cytisus Mixed*. Varied colors. R.C. 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$1.90.

✓ CARYOPTERIS TANGUTICA- Blue " spirea" flowers. Long in bloom. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00.

CHERRY LAUREL- *Prunus Laurocerasus Schipkaensis*. Handsome, glossy, evergreen shrub, hardy at Boston. Fragrant white flowers in spring. R.C., 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50

EUONYMUS ALATUS- Compact, decorative habit. Wing-flanged branches. Brilliant autumn coloring. Deciduous . R.C. 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50.

EUONYMUS JAPONICUS AVALON- Handsome, upright, densely branched shrub, hardy at Philadelphia. Glossy, evergreen leaves, splashed ivory. R.C., 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$16.00.

HYDRANGEA BLUE CHINA BOY- Excellent blue. Big heads. Hardy in northern Ohio. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$3.00.

PFITZER JUNIPER- Strong liners, 3" pots. 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.60.

KOLKWITZIA AMABILIS- Beauty Bush. Handsome, pink-flowered, hardy shrub. Liners, 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.00.

KERRIA JAPONICA PLENIFLORA- Fully double golden orange flowers over long season. Green winter branchings. R.C. 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00.

LIGUSTRUM LUCIDUM- Wax-leaf Privet. Particularly good , gloss-leaved, evergreen Privet. R.C?, 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00.

SALIX DISCOLOR- " French" Pussy-Willow. Liners, 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.50.

SPANISH BROOM- Spartium junceum. Green-twigged, golden-flowered shrub. Hardy at Philadelphia. R.C. 10 for \$1.00.

SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER- Rosy crimson flowers all summer. R.C., 10 for 90¢; 25 for \$2.00.

TRUE DWARF ENGLISH BOX- B. suffruticosa. Potted or banded liners, 5-6" heights, dense, 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.90; 100 for \$30.00.

✓ VIBURNUM CARLESI- Pink buds; fragrant, white flowers. R.C. 10 for \$1.10; 25 for \$2.15.

RHODODENDRON SPECIES TRANSPLANTS- All have been growing in individual pots for at least one year, the majority of them for two years. RHODODENDRON FORTUNEI- H-2. One of the more beautiful of Rhododendrons. Large, fragrant flowers, from white to deep pink. Ht. 4" up. Each \$1.00; 5 for \$4.50. R. OREOSTREPHES-H-3. Pale mauve to lilac pink, with crimson dottings. Highly attractive. Ht. 3-4". Each 70¢. R. DECORUM- H-4. White to deep pink, often yellow in throat. Big flowers. Fragrant. Ht. 3-4". Each 70¢. R. AUGUSTINI- H-3. From rosy mauve, to blue and violet. Free-blooming, and good. Ht. 2-3". Each 60¢; 5 for \$2.75.

RHODODENDRON HARDINESS RATINGS- H-2 indicates hardiness to 15 degrees below zero; H-3, to 5 below zero; H-4 to 5 above zero.

HYBRID RHODODENDRON SEEDLINGS- Seeds were saved from some of the world's finest named, hybrid sorts. Expect wide range of beauty, and in color, form and hardiness. Ht. 2-4". 5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.85. (2½" pots).

F L O W E R I N G B U L B S *****

AMARYLLIS FORMOSISSIMA- Sprekelia. Big, orchid-reminding, crimson blossoms in spring. For garden or forcing. Store in winter. Blooming, potted bulbs are good Garden Center sales item. Bulbs, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.40; 100 for \$16.25. Sprekelia.

CYRTANTHUS MACKENI- Ifafa Lily. Graceful clusters of pretty, little ivory trumpets. Long bloom. Rare. Potted, growing bulbs, 5 for \$1.50.

MILK-AND-WINE LILY- Crinum erubescens. 30". Whorls of graceful, beautiful trumpets, white, but rosy at petal centers. Hardy in mild areas, elsewhere, dig and winter-store. Fine bulbs. 5 for \$1.50; 10 for \$2.70, 25 for \$6.00.

HARDY HEATHS AND HEATHERS

ERICA is the Heath ; CALLUNA the Heather, but the two are very like, just technical, botanical differences. They are relatives of the Rhododendron, but quicker, easier, more adjustable to varied climatic conditions. Both are low evergreens, with fine needle or scale-like leaves, and masses of little, colorful flowers. They do well in the South, but thrive also quite far north, being winter-hardy in lower New England. One-year plants usually bloom.

ERICA CARNEA- Winter Heath. Deep green foliage all year. Mantled with pretty pink flowers January into May, even blooming under snow. Dense grower, eventually reaching 15 inches of height by 24 of width. Winter-hardy well north. Potted plants, one-year size, 10 for \$2.35; 25 for \$5.50; 100 for \$21.00. Lots 250 up at 20¢ each. Potted plants, two-year size, 10 for \$3.30; 25 for \$7.75; 100 for \$30.00. Lots of 250 up at 29¢ each.

ERICA CARNEA SPRINGWOOD WHITE- This one one blooms most of the summer, attractive white flowers. A wide, low grower. Rock garden; terrace, ground cover. Graceful. Potted plants, one-year, 10 for \$2.60; 25 for \$6.00; 100 for \$23.00. Potted plants, two-year, 5 for \$1.90; 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$8.25.

ERICA TETRALIX- A silvery-downy evergreen, each stem carrying a terminal cluster of little pink bells. In bloom June into October. 12". Potted plants, one year, 5 for \$1.55; 10 for \$2.80; 25 for \$6.25.

ERICA MEDITERRANEANA- 24". Profuse summer bloomer, hardy at Rochester. Rose-colored flowers. Potted plants, two-year. 5 for \$1.65; 10 for \$3.

CALLUNA ALPORTI-15". A fine Heather, even, dense, growth, rich flowering in crimson-toned violet. Sage-green foliage. Potted plants, one year, 10 for \$2.80; 25 for \$6.25;

CALLUNA SEARLEI- "Lucky" Heather. Pure white flowers. Rich emerald green foliage, year through. If desired, can be sheared for low, formal edgings. Potted plants, one year, 10 for \$2.80; 25 for \$6.25.

CALLUNA COUNTY WICKLOW- 14". A beauty. Evergreen, rounded plants, covered in summer with fully double, shell-pink flowers. Potted plants, one year, 5 for \$1.75; 10 for \$3.20; 25 for \$7.00.

ABOUT POTTED PERENNIALS- They are ready for resale when you get them, or, if you want still larger plants you can shift to bigger pots, and grow them on. With potted perennials you supply your customers with living, growing, thriving plants, (instead of wrapped or dug plants in a state of partly suspended animation).

HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

Climate of Chicago area is intended as standard of hardiness, except where otherwise stated.

AETHIONEMA WARLEY ROSE- 6". Most colorful, and beautiful, of low, hardy, spring-blooming perennials. Mounds of brilliant, rose-pink flowering, over blue-toned foliage. "Lebanon" Candytuft". 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.25; 25 for \$5.10; 100 for \$19.00.

AGAPANTHUS-Lily of the Nile. 45" Immense, showy clusters of blue flowers. Fragrant. Winter-hardy, with protection, to about Baltimore. In colder areas, grow as large pot or tub plant. 2½" pot plants, 10 for \$2.60; 25 for \$6.20.

ACHILLEA PRIMROSE BEAUTY- 6". Soft yellow sprays over silk-feathered, downy mats. Edgings; rock gardens. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$18.00.

THE ORNAMENTAL ALLIUMS- Decorative perennials of long-lived hardiness. ALLIUM SUMMER BEAUTY- 10". Many clusters in deep blue-lavender. Foliage glossy green, short, dense. Edger, bedder, rock garden. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$17.00. ALLIUM FLAVUM- 10". Hosts of pretty, soft yellow bells. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50. A. PULCHELLUM- 20". Airy clusters in vivid rose. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$17.00. ALLIUM STELLARIANUM- 24". Upfacing, perfumed star-clusters in pure white. Field divisions, 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$15.00. A. TANGUTICUM- 25". Lavender. Long in bloom. It cuts. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.15; 25 for \$5.00.

ANCHUSA MYOSOTIDIFLORA- 10", Brunnera. Early. Vivid blue. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.40; 25, \$5.70.

ANEMONE JAPONICA MIXED- 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.50

ANEMONE POLYANTHES- 12". An abundance of charming "apple-blossom" flowers. 5 for \$1.30; 10 for \$2.40. (2½" pots).

ANEMONE PULSATILLA- 14". Showy purple flowers in spring. Fully hardy. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.45.

AQUILEGIA MCKANA GIANTS- 27". Big, long-spurred flowers in beautiful colorings. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$17.00

ARABIS FERDINAND-COBURGI- 10". Hosts of white flowers in spring. Foliage mats. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00.

ARMERIA GIANT HYBRIDS MIXED- 20". Bright-hued, long-blooming, long-lived, clumps bigger, more flower-filled each year. Long-stemmed, dense, blossom-heads in pink, coral, carmine, violet. Pots, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80; 100 for \$18.

PLUMBAGO LARPENTAE- 10". *Ceratostigma*. Mounds of vivid blue, mid-summer into autumn. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.00.

POTENTILLA MISS WILMOTT- 12". Pink to rosy crimson blossoms over a long season. 10 for \$2.20. (2½" pots).

PRIMULA JAPONICA SUPERIOR MIXED- 20". Whorl above whorl of handsome flowers in white, rose, cherry, crimson, violet. Long in bloom. Give thin shade, and mulch about the plants with grass clippings or the like. Winter-hardy. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10; 100 for \$19.

PRIMULA POLYANTHUS SPECIAL BLEND- These showy, easy, fully hardy Primroses do particularly well under our American climatic conditions. Fully sun-tolerant. Big flowers in rare and varied colorings. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$17.00; 250 for \$39.00.

RANUNCULUS REPENS- 6". Pretty creeping Buttercup for ground cover. Sun or thin shade. Long display of bright yellow blossoms. Good foliage. Divisions, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.30.

RUDBECKIA PURPUREA- 40". Echinacea. Red-toned violet. Long summer bloomer. 2½" pots, 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.30.

SALVIA AZUREA GRANDIFLORA- 40". Handsome species of great hardiness and long life. Profuse flowers of azure blue. *S. Pitcheri* (syn.). 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

SANTOLINA CHAMAECYPARISSUS- 20". The Lavender-Cotton. Decorative, pinnatifid, silvery-tomentose foliage mounds. Pot-grown, 5 for \$1.40; 10 for \$2.50.

SANTOLINA VIRENS- 18". Aromatic, emerald foliage, in feathery mounds, year-through. Bright yellow button flowers. Good. Pot grown, 5 for \$1.40; 10 for \$2.50.

THE SEDUMS- Attractive in rock gardens, or for edging or bedding. SEDUM CALCAREUM- 5". Succulent, glossy foliage mats. White flowers. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50. SEDUM REFLEXUM- 10". Fine-leaved, evergreen mats. Bright yellow flowers. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50. SEDUM SIEBOLDI- 8". Round-leaved Sedum, handsome in foliage, and in the pink flower clusters. 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.35; 10 for \$2.45. SEDUM SPURIUM ALBUM- 6". Evergreen mat-former with good white flowers. 2½" pots. 10 for \$1.90.

STOKESIA CYANEA BLUE- 20". Perhaps best of summer-blooming perennials in its color. Immense, handsome, blue blossoms in fringed, semi-double effect. Long in bloom. It cuts. 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80; 100 for \$18.00.

TEUCRIUM CHAMAEDRYS- 10". Low, glossy-leaved, evergreen perennial, with pretty, little, pink flowers. Rock garden or mixed border. Also may be used in place of Dwarf English Box for low edgings or hedges. It takes clipping and trimming as does Box, and it is winter-hardy in colder areas. 2½" pots. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.80; 100 for \$17.00.

TRADESCANTIA J.C.WEGUELIN- 20". Sky blue to china blue. Particularly long bloom season. Field divisions, 10 for 2.20; 25 for \$5.10.

TRICYRTIS MIXED-18". The pretty Japanese Wood-lily. Odd white flowers with violet markings. Winter-protect above Philadelphia. 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.40; 10 for \$2.70.

TRITOMA FLAME- 50". Spires of vivid red. Field divisions, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10.

TRITOMA MOLTEN GOLD-50". A radiant, far-showy orange. Divisions, 10 for \$2.20; 25 for \$5.10.

TULBAGHIA VIOLACEA- 25". Clustered, pink-toned stars, June into November, Needs winter protection if colder than Philadelphia. 2½" pots, 5 for \$1.30; 10 for \$2.50.

VERONICA REPENS- 2". Fine-leaved "pancake" mats, set with light blue flowers. Rock gardens, edgings, pavement plantings. 2½" pots, 10 for \$2.10; 25 for \$4.80.

CONFEDERATE VIOLET-6". Big, white flowers with purple radiations. V. Priceana. 10 for \$1.90.

S E E D S O F P E R E N N I A L S *****

Seeds are sent postpaid within the United States. All seeds offered are of our own production on our Avalon Mountain Gardens, and are of the current, new crop. We are competent seed-growers, with some 30 years of experience in producing flower seeds on a contract basis for the American, Canadian and European seed trades.

AZALEA KURUME HYBRIDS- From fine, named sorts. Trade pkt. 85¢; 3 for \$2.35.

AZALEA KAEMPFERI HYBRIDS- From named kinds of many colorings. Trd. pkt. 75¢; 3 for \$2.00.

BAPTISIA AUSTRALIS- 40". Many spikes of rich blue. It cuts. ¼ oz. 55¢; 1 oz. \$1.90.

BOLTONIA LATISQUAMA- 40". Profuse, bluish pink daisies. 1/16 oz. 30¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢.

BUDDLEIA HYBRID BLEND- Seedlings bloom first year, saved from plants in full Buddleia color range. Fine seed. 1/16 oz. 50¢.

CARYOPTERIS CLANDONENSIS-30". Bright blue. Saved from variety Blue Mist, Blooms first year. Trade pkt. 40¢; 3 for \$1.10.

CINNAMON VINE- Bulbils, 25 for \$1.00.

CLEMATIS PANICULATA- Massed, perfumed, white flowers in summer. 1/8 oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 75¢.

DICTAMNUS FRAXINELLA ALBA- 30". Long-lived.

Most beautiful white-flowered perennial.

1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1 oz. \$2.75.

DIANTHUS LATIFOLIUS ATROCOCCINEUS-9". Live coral red intensities. 1/16 oz. 75¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25.

EUCOMIS HYBRIDS- The spectacular Pine-apple

Lily, now so much in demand, can be pro-

duced only from seed. 1/16 oz. 60¢; 1/8 oz.

\$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.70.

FILIPENDULA RUBRA VENUSTA-See description under "Hardy Perennial Plants". A beauty. 1/16 oz.

60¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00.

HELIOPSIS SCABRA-45". Richly golden flowers,

single, semi-double and fully double. Hardy

easy; good. 1/8 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢.

HEMEROCALLIS SPECIAL HYBRIDS- Seeds of hand-made

crosses of some 50 of better named varieties.

Expect new forms of high merit from this. It

blooms at one year. Easy from seed. 1/8 oz.

60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00; 1/2 oz. \$1.75.

LATHYRUS WHITE PEARL- Hardy perennial vine. Ex-

pect big clusters of pure white " Sweet-peas"

at one year. Fine cut flower. 1/4 oz. 50¢

LILIUM FORMOSANUM-Easiest of true lilies from

seed, and a good one. Long white trumpets,

often, but not always, with a soft rosy suff-

usion in reverse. 1/8 oz. 70¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.20.

LILIUM FORMOSANUM, PRICE STRAIN- Like last, but

blooms earlier, and does not grow as tall.

Trade pkts., each 40¢; 3 for \$1.10.

LILIUM SUPERBUM- Strong growing, handsome

lily, with very many red-and-yellow, re-

flexed blossoms. Prefers some shade.

Trade pkts, each 35¢; 3 for \$1.00.

POLYGONUM REYNOUTRIA-Effective ground cover for

dry, sunny places. Attractive. 1/8 oz. 75¢.

STOKESIA CYANEA-20". Handsome, summer, blue-flow-

ered perennial. Easier, surer, longer-lived

than Delphinium. Extended bloom season. It

cuts, or as effective in border or landscape

use. 1/16 oz. 35¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.00.

THERMOPSIS CAROLINIANA- 50". Long spikes of

bright yellow flowers in lupine reminder.

Sun or thin shade. 1/8 oz. 40¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢.

TRITOMA PEERLESS HYBRIDS-50". Poker Plant, or

Kniphofia. Wide color spread. 1/8 oz. 40¢;

1/4 oz. 75¢.

FOR POT CULTURE UNDER GLASS

ABUTILON AVALON GOLD- Immense blossoms all year, lemon-gold outside, orange-gold within. Plants stocky, much branched. Outdoor, summer bedder, or winter window pot plant. Pots, 3", each 50¢; 5 for \$2.25; 10 for \$4.50.

SCARLET ORCHID- Epidendrum Obrienianum . A true Orchid that will flower in a window as easily as a Geranium. Showy scarlet panicles. Strong cuttings with roots; will bloom first season. 5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.75.

